

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification of the present application as set forth below. Changes to the specification are shown by strikethrough (for deleted matter) or underlining (for added matter).

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Please replace the Abstract with the following:

- - Various ~~[[C]]cambered vanes of this invention~~ are constructed for use within a vaned turbocharger and ~~comprise~~ include an inner airfoil surface oriented
10 adjacent a turbine wheel, and an outer airfoil surface oriented opposite the inner airfoil surface. The inner and outer airfoil surfaces define a vane airfoil thickness. A cambered vane leading edge or nose is positioned along a first inner and outer airfoil surface junction, and a vane trailing edge positioned along a second inner and outer surface junction. The vane inner and outer
15 airfoil surfaces are specially configured to provide a vane camberline having a curved section, which can. ~~Specifically, the vane camberline curved section has a measure of curvature is defined within a degree of tolerance by a vane placement or pivot diameter, as generally measured between diametrically opposed vanes mounted in the turbocharger, for provide~~ for improved gas
20 flow distribution, thereby increasing the effective operating range of the turbocharger. - -